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FM AMEMBASSY LONDON

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 0610

C O N F I D E N T I A L LONDON 06393

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: AEMG

SUBJECT: RESETTLEMENT OF VIETNAMESE REFUGEES

REF: STATE 97854

1. DCM CALLED ON SIR THOMAS BRIMELOW, PERMANENT UNDER SECRETARY, AT FOREIGN OFFICE TODAY, APRIL 28, TO MAKE DEMARCHE AS INSTRUCTED BY REFTTEL. DCM WENT OVER ALL THE POINTS IN THE DEMARCHE CAREFULLY, SUPPLEMENTING THEM BY CITATIONS OF LATEST FIGURES IN WIRELESS FILE OF REFUGEE MOVEMENTS OUT OF VIETNAM. HE SPECIFICALLY INVITED BRIMELOW TO INDICATE HOW HMG LOOKED AT THIS MAJOR PROBLEM AND TO INFORM US WHAT THE BRITISH MIGHT BE PREPARED TO DO BY WAY OF ASSISTING RESETTLEMENT EFFORTS. BRIMELOW INDICATED THAT THE BRITISH ARE ALIVE TO THE ENORMITY OF THIS PROBLEM BUT WAS UNABLE AT THIS TIME TO BE SPECIFIC ABOUT POSSIBLE BRITISH ASSISTANCE IN RESETTLEMENT EFFORTS. HE PROMISED TO CONSULT THE HOME OFFICE AND TO GIVE US AN ANSWER AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

2. AT WORKING LEVEL EMBASSY HAS HAD REPORTS FROM BRITISH OFFICIALS THAT HMG IS PREPARED TO ACCEPT VIETNAMESE REFUGEES WHO ARE RELATIVES OF UK CITIZENS. HMG  
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IS AWARE OF SOME OF THESE PERSONS BEING IN GUAM BUT HAS

NO WAY TO COMMUNICATE WITH THEM TO INFORM THEM THAT THEY  
ARE ELIGIBLE FOR ENTRY. REQUEST GUIDANCE ON THIS POINT  
IN ORDER TO ESTABLISH POINT OF CONTACT IN USG FOR HMG  
INQUIRIES ON PERSONS ELIGIBLE FOR RESIDENCE IN UK.

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